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<b>STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW</b>		Attorney Docket Number: 11757/36 PATENT	
Applicant Yasuji MIZUTANI et al	Application No. 09/287,707	Filing Date April 7, 1999	
Patent Number	Issued	Examiner Robert SICONOLFI	Art Unit 3683
Invention Title HYDRAULIC BRAKING SYSTEM WHEREIN ELECTRICALLY CONTROLLABLE ASSISTING DRIVE FORCE IS APPLIED TO MASTER CYLINDER PISTON UPON BRAKE PEDAL OPERATION		Assignee TOYOTA JIDOSHA KABUSHIKI KAISHA	

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Sir:

In compliance with M.P.E.P. 713.04, the Applicant provides this Statement of Substance of Interview concerning the telephonic interview conducted on December 13, 2004 with Examiner Siconolfi.

- (A) Exhibits. No exhibit was shown or demonstration was conducted.
- (B) Claims. 1, 35 and 42
- (C) Prior art. Willman
- (D) Amendments. Discussed amending claim 35 to recite "in a normal operation of the braking system".
- (E) Principal arguments of Applicant. The prior art does not suggest "in a normal operation of the braking system" as claimed.
- (F) Other matters.
- (G) Results. N/A.

Although not believed necessary, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees required or credit any overpayments relating to this communication to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

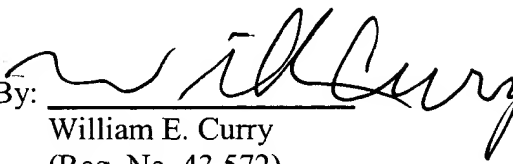
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The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 202-220-4323 to discuss any matter regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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